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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

EMILY PENZO,

Plaintiff.

-against-

CONSOLIDATED EDISON COMPANY OF NEW YORK, INC.,

Defendant.

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ORDER MEMORIALIZING RULINGS ON DEFENDANT'S MOTIONS IN LIMINE

MARY KAY VYSKOCIL, United States District Judge:

On November 27 and November 30, 2023, the Court held pretrial conferences in this matter. At those conferences, the Court issued rulings from the bench on Defendant's motions *in limine*. [See ECF Nos. 112–116]. For the reasons stated on the record, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED as follows:

Defendant's motion *in limine* to exclude evidence regarding non-similarly situated comparators [ECF No. 112] is DENIED without prejudice to appropriate objections at trial. *See Graham v. Long Island R.R.*, 230 F.3d 34, 39 (2d Cir. 2000) ("Whether two employees are similarly situated ordinarily presents a question of fact for the jury.").

Defendant's motion *in limine* to exclude evidence regarding Plaintiff's time-barred claims and associated requested relief [ECF No. 113] is GRANTED IN PART and DENIED IN PART. Any acts that occurred prior to August 12, 2017 are time-barred with respect to Plaintiff's ADA claims. Any acts that occurred prior to June 8, 2015 are time-barred with respect to Plaintiff's NYSHRL and NYCHRL claims. Any acts that occurred prior to August 9, 2016 are time-barred with respect to Plaintiff's FMLA claims.

Defendant's motion *in limine* to exclude inadmissible hearsay [ECF No. 114] is DENIED for vagueness without prejudice to appropriate objections at trial.

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Defendant's motion in limine to exclude evidence regarding unpled discrimination or wage

and hour claims [ECF No. 115] is GRANTED IN PART and DENIED IN PART. Plaintiff may not

reference unpled national origin discrimination, race discrimination, gender discrimination, or

New York Labor Law wage and hour claims. However, evidence regarding whether certain

policies of Defendant, including compensation policies, were applied to Plaintiff in a

discriminatory or retaliatory manner is relevant to and probative of Plaintiff's existing claims.

Defendant's motion in limine to exclude evidence regarding Plaintiff's back pay or front

pay damages is GRANTED IN PART and DENIED IN PART. Any such award will be offset by

the stipulated-to amount of long-term disability payments that Plaintiff received.

The Clerk of Court is respectfully requested to terminate the motions pending at docket

entries 112, 113, 114, 115, and 116.

SO ORDERED.

Date: December 11, 2023

New York, NY

MARY/KAY VYSKOCIL

United States District Judge

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